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Weather

Fair through Friday in the valley. Continued cool. Lows tonight in the mid 20s to mid 30s with local hard freeze. Highs today and Friday in the upper 40s to mid 50s. High today at Livermore 54.

Private schools mushroom — from K thru 12

(Second of two articles on the impact of private and Christian schools on valley public schools)

Though anticipating a modest beginning student body of 20 students, the Pleasanton Academy of Christian Education is striving for not only an elementary school setup but a complete kindergarten through twelfth grade curriculum by September of 1977.

If and when the high school classes are organized, it will become the first non-public high school in the valley.

Families wishing to send their children to private or Christian high schools now must, save The Athenian School in Danville, have them transported outside the confines of the Livermore-Amador Valley.

Wednesday's article on private and Christian schools brought forth reactions from several parents who have children attending either De La Salle High School or Carondelet School in Concord, Redwood Christian in Castro Valley, Moreau in Hayward or Bishop O'Dowd in Oakland.

One parent said she knew of six former California High School students who transferred to the Catholic schools in Concord, reportedly because of the higher standards of education and discipline to be found at the latter.

The two ninth through twelfth grade schools are located on Treat Boulevard in Concord. According to the parent, an interview and placement test are required before admission. She adds that students of junior and senior standing are scheduled in classes using both campuses, which are across the street from each other. De La Salle is the boys school and Carondelet the girls.

PACE, being organized by the Pleasanton Assembly of God, will open with 20 students on Jan. 19 in quarters on Alisal Road.

Sandford Weldon, minister of education for the church and principal-supervisor to be for the school, contends that the school will not be the traditional type. "We recognize the individual differences of children. The curriculum and the style of classroom will reflect this."

From Weldon's title, equivalent to the public school principal, to classroom personnel (supervisors and monitors), to the origin of curriculum materials and presentation, the Pleasanton school will have a considerably different modus operandi.

Affiliated with the non-denominational Accelerated Christian Education (ACE) group of Garland, Texas, the Pleasanton Academy of Christian Education will receive its curriculum materials from the firm, mainly in the form of PACEs — Packets of Christian Education. The packets are pamphlets, sections or parts of what would be considered a textbook.

Each student will start with a PACE and work with it in a "learning center" setup so that students work in carrells and at an individual speed.

However, daily and weekly goals will be

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setup "and maintained," according to Weldon, a former public school teacher with seven years of experience in Pleasanton, Dublin and Fremont.

ACE, according to Weldon, supplies materials to over 1,000 schools throughout the world, a predominant number in the United States and the remainder in England, Australia, Canada and Haiti.

The only other resource book to be used, aside from the PACEs, will be the Bible.

As presently setup, classes will be in session from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday with Wednesdays, from approximately 8:30 to 1:30, being Chapel Day.

Children will bring sack lunches and milk is to be provided, according to Weldon.

Accreditation of the school, as with other Christian schools, will be through the California Association of Christian Schools.

Students will wear uniforms, with the red, white and blue God and Country uniform being "Scripturally very important," according to Weldon.

Boys will wear blue pants, white shirts, a short sleeve red sweater and blue shell jacket.

Girls will wear blue jumpers, white blouses, red cardigans and red knee sox.

At about the sixth grade level, the boys will be permitted to wear a God and Country tie. Girls may wear a dress and will not be required to wear knee sox.

The cost for registering a child will be $50 plus $55 per month, the latter payable on a monthly basis. Students will, in effect, pay for the curriculum as they use it, being charged $1 per PACE. It is anticipated, according to Weldon, that most if not all students will go through four to six PACE's a month.

An initial application fee of $5 will also be charged. A testing fee of $25 will be applicable in September but on a one-time only basis.

Cost for families wishing to enroll a second child is $45, and $35 for a third.

Discounts will be available to members in good standing of the Pleasanton Assembly.

In addition to Weldon, his wife, Polly, will serve as a monitor as will the pastor's wife, Diane Bennett. Linda Louer and Lynn Hill will be involved on a monitor status part-time.

Weldon adds a slide presentation on the school will be given on Tuesday, Jan. 6, and Thursday, Jan. 8, at the church on Alisal Road. The programs begin at 7 p.m.

Among the currently in operation private and Christian schools noted in Wednesday's article, the Seventh Day Adventist School in Livermore was listed but without reference as to grades instructed.

It has been learned that the school presently has an enrollment of 24 students in grades one through eight. The school was started in 1968 and the current principal is Bill Greenwood.

— by Al Fischer

Local view of Guards as cops - 'exaggerated'

PLEASANTON — The current flap in the press over whether the state National Guard is being trained as "police strikebreakers" is greatly exaggerated, according to Roger McLain.

McLain, a Lawrence Livermore Laboratory design associate in the Mechanical Engineering department and a Pleasanton City Councilman, is also a lieutenant colonel in the National Guard. He commands two companies of military police, one in Pittsburgh and the other in Sacramento.

Police, especially those in major cities, were upset when they heard press reports that the National Guard received a quarter million dollar grant to "take police training." Some civilian police thought it was a move by the state to call in "strikebreaking" National Guard personnel if a city had a police strike similar to the one last summer in San Francisco.

"We have no intention of being strikebreakers," said McLain. "What really happened was that the Military Department (which operates the Guard) realized that since the riots in Watts and Berkeley it is difficult for the military to cope with a civil disturbance, unless you pick the right organization.

"The state does have three military police battalions now (about 1,000 persons) and they are trained to protect life and property. The infantry, on the other hand, is trained to kill or capture the enemy," said McLain. So it's desirable to call in the military police, not the infantry, during civil disorders, he said.

The quarter of a million dollar grant which made it appear like a new strike-breaking force was being organized was really for new equipment for the existing military police force, said McLain.

"For example, one of the problems which occurs when you put MP's in an urban setting is the military radios they use. They are all line-of-sight FM radios, good only for short distances and not able to transmit through buildings. So we had to buy civil police radios, at $900 each. The grant also will pay for equipment for sedans, plastic helmets and so on," said McLain.

The commander of the National Guard, Maj. Gen. Frank Schober, Jr., coined a title for this updating of the military police, said McLain. The new title was Large Emergency Assistance Force (LEAF) to emphasize the Guard's backup capabilities for the civilian police. But the new title does not mean creation of a new force, said McLain.

"Let's look at the example of the San Francisco police strike," said McLain. "If there were a strike and no police officers on the street and crime got out of hand in the city, the city officials could call in the Guard. But the Guard would not take over the police department; it would only furnish the necessary life and property protection.

"We would not be running any felony investigations. If a felony were committed during that period, all we could do is preserve the evidence until such time as the regular investigators returned. We would try to prevent chaos from reigning. All we could do is put MP's on the streets in cars.

"We couldn't handle the cat-up-a-tree type of calls. We probably would be in the same building with the police department and we would be under command of the local chief or city officials, but we are NOT an organization of strike-breakers. It's not our role," said McLain.

McLain has been a military police commander for two years, after long service with the infantry.

"I've found the change gratifying. It's a whole new career. Law enforcement is an interesting field," said McLain.

McLain's troops, including 30 female MP's, get their practical experience in the summer when the National Guard training camps are running at full capacity. The MP's provide security for the posts and act as their police force. They investigate theft and other crimes and direct traffic at the posts.

— by Ron McNicoll

THEY'LL TAKE THAT TREE

What do you do with the old Christmas tree, now a wilted relic of its former glory?

You call Jack Thornton at 455-4237. He'll send a member of the Pleasanton Chapter, Order of DeMolay, by to pick it up for a $1 donation. The youths will pick up trees anywhere in Dublin, Pleasanton or Livermore.

The pickup is this weekend only, Jan. 3 and 4.

SO YOU HAD A BIG NIGHT, and the bubbles that looked so inviting while bottled are now playing a far different tune inside your head. So that's the price you oldsters must pay, every year about this time. But as for newcomers like Marcy Everett, the New Year is still young. So bring on the bubbly, and bring on 1976. And please deliver to the Richard Everett home on Crellin Road in Pleasanton.

US Court eyes growth control

The Associated Building Industry of Northern California has asked the Supreme Court to review the controversial Petaluma decision which upheld the city's restriction on housing starts.

The same group sued the city of Livermore and the Livermore Valley Unified School District over growth control regulations in the city's ordinances and policies on local construction.

That suit was withdrawn, however, after the U.S. Court of Appeals upheld Petaluma's right to peg housing starts to a quota of 500 homes per year.

The Livermore suit raises similar constitutional issues to the one the industry lost in Petaluma.

The appelate court ruled that Petaluma's plan might "frustrate some legitimate regional housing needs" but is "not arbitrary or unreasonable."

In their petition to the Supreme Court, the builders say they know of no case where a court has "so outspokenly claimed ... the power to exclude citizens from free movement and settlement."

The lower court decision "has left Petaluma and other suburbs free to withdraw indefinitely from the task of insuring adequate housing in a society in which private industry, not the state, is the major source of shelter," they argue.

The ABI filed its suit against Livermore and the LVUSD in Federal District Court in San Francisco, but withdrew it "without prejudice" following the Petaluma decision.

Attorneys for the builders said at the time of the withdrawal that they would wait for the appeal before the Supreme Court.

Withdrawal "without prejudice" will enable the builders to file their suit again if the Supreme Court overrules the Court of Appeals.

In the meantime, the appelate court decision is binding on the lower Federal District Court.

While the Supreme Court has not yet agreed to hear the case, it has accepted others to review similar ordinances restricting community growth.

The court may issue a blanket decision on one of the simiar cases rather than hear the ABI's particular plea.

The justices earlier agreed to review an Ohio Supreme Court decision which struck down a city charter provision requiring 60 percent approval of city voters for a zoning change.

Final council filings

PLEASANTON — City council filings closed yesterday with a total of seven candidates entered in the race March 2.

Robert Attebery, Ken Mercer, Gene Finch, Jim Jordan, Frank Brandes, William Herlihy and Roger McLain are the council candidates. Herlihy is an incumbent completing his first term. McLain was appointed to the council eight months ago to succeed Floyd Mori who was elected to the Assembly.

Incumbent City Treasurer John Wipfli is running unopposed.

As of today there's less control on sex, pot and girls' PE

As Californians clinked glasses to welcome in the new year at midnight last night, several new laws promising major changes in our lifestyle went into effect across the state.

New laws, designed to reduce criminal penalties for "victimless" crimes or save consumers money, include the legalization of most sex acts between consenting adults, decriminalization of marijuana possession, and the repeal of all fair trade laws but one.

Depression-inspired fair trade laws, which allowed manufacturers to set minimum prices for products, are nnw rescinded except for those affecting liquor. The 44-year-old laws were designed to eliminate price wars between businesses which were forcing the smaller establishments into bankruptcy.

A new marijuana law, authored by State Senator and now Mayor-elect George Moscone, reduces simple possession of less than one ounce of pot to a maximum $100 fine without arrest.

After four such citations, offenders will be required to enter a drug counseling center for guidance. But additional arrests for simple possession will only result in the issuance of more citations.

No jail sentences can be handed down for simple possession, and all records of such arrests are destroyed after two years.

Consenting adults privately practicing oral sex, adultery or sodomy, heterosexual or not, can now do so legally. A bill by Assemblyman Willie Brown, also of San Francisco, removes century-old laws prohibiting such acts while retaining penalties for prostitution.

Other new laws include:

★ An end to the state's oil depletion allowance.

★ A measure allowing substitution of less expensive drugs for brand names in medical prescriptions.

★ Requiring schools to offer equal benefits for both sexes in athletic programs.

★ Designating state highway routes 1, 5, and 101 as "Bikecentennial" routes, and asking CalTrans to supply maps for bicyclists planning to use them.

★ Allowing doctors to prescribe contraceptives to teen-agers without prior consent from parents.

★ Forcing motorists to pay all outstanding state-wide traffic tickets before a driver's license is renewed.

★ Mandatory prison sentences for crimes involving guns, or for persons convicted of selling half an ounce or more of heroin.

★ Equalizing the rights of legitimate and illegitimate children.

★ Coverage of farm workers under unemployment insurance. Increasing benefits for the unemployed from $90 to $104 per week.

★ Requiring prior parental consent before spanking a child in school.

★ A "lifeline" utility measure offering savings for users of small amounts of gas and electricity.

★Requiring CalTrans to establish car pool programs for both public and private employes in metropolitan areas.

★ Prohibits revocation or suspension of a driver's license on first, second or third convicition of drunk driving if offender participates in a year-long alcoholism-prevention program.

★ Issuing identification cards to people 62-years-old with special designation of "Senior Citizen." Also allowing a space on state-issued identification cards whereby holders may indicate their desire to make an anatomical gift to an institution.

The legislature last year also extended the state-wide maximum 55 mph speed limit to June 30, 1978.

A shiny new Yamaha — and David Behrin of Livermore is its proud owner, thanks to a decision by his mother, Dorothy Behrin (right), to buy a benefit drawing ticket from a Granada High choir member. Admiring the prize is Bonnie Kienzle, left, one of the parents who has been working hard to help the choir raise money for a trip this spring to Mexico.

(Times photo)

Friday filing deadline

Six seek Murray trustee post

Six Murray School District residents have indicated their intention to seek the trustee position vacated by Joanne Bascom on the March 2, 1976 ballot.

Final date for filing nomination papers is Friday at 5 p.m., with either the County Schools elections section in Hayward or Registrar's office in Oakland.

The six whose names will appear on the ballot include one former Murray board member (Art Laursen), two previously unsuccessful candidates (Eugene Hinton and Dawn Rutter) and Dr. Harry Overline, a professor at Cal State Hayward; Linda Jeffery, officer in the statewide Peace Officers' Wives Association; and Harrietta Dahlin, a part-time realty agent and member of the Nielsen School PTA and Dublin Women's Club.

Mrs. Dahlin, of 7530 Amarillo Rd., Laursen and Hinton were among the latest to file.

All will vie for the seat vacated by Mrs. Bascom in November. Her term runs through March of 1977.

The trustee race will share the ballot with a $1 million bond issue which the Murray district must pass by a two-thirds majority. The monies are needed in order to complete the seventh-eighth grade school planned for the Dolan site in Silvergate.

Mrs. Dahlin, 39, and her husband, Gordon, a senior distribution engineer with PGE in Oakland, have resided in Dublin 4½ years. They have one daughter, a student at Nielsen, and are currently hosting a foreign exchange student from Japan.

She also is affiliated with the Amador Valley Scholarship Board and helped organize the Dublin High School parent group.

"I have worked closely with the schools and really thought this was the time to get involved in helping shape the direction the district is going," Mrs. Dahlin stated.

The successful candidate in the March 2 election will join a board now composed of Robert Foster, president, Ann Henderson, Dr. Ted Woy and Peter Snyder.

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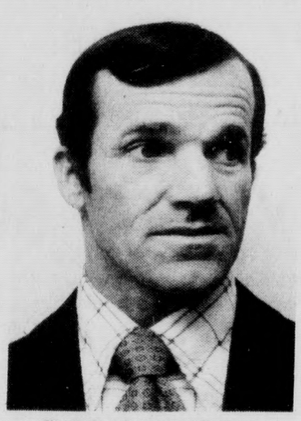

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DAWN RUTTER

CHP nabs armed duo

PLEASANTON — California Highway Patrolmen Wednesday morning arrested two mer with outstanding warrants for armed robbery, a CHP spokesman said yesterday.

Ronald Berg, 30, and Dennis Murphy, 38, both had outstanding warrants for armed robbery from an outside police agency, the spokesman said. He added that both men had loaded .45-caliber weapons on their person at the time of the arrest.

Murphy, the driver, was booked on investigation of driving under the influence of a narcotic. No other information was available at press time.

For Easter trip to Mexico

Granada choir drives for funds

LIVERMORE — David Behrin of Wimbledon Drive is practicing the "G" chord on his brand-new, steel string Yamaha guitar.

Meanwhile, Granada High choir members are counting up the $800 they raised in a benefit drawing for which the guitar was the prize.

Not quite as much money as choir members had hoped to make. But there will be plenty more fund-raisers before March ... which is when the singers will decide whether or not they can afford an Eastertime trip to Mexico to perform, compete and enjoy the exotic sights.

David's mother, Dorothy, bought the lucky drawing ticket from choir member Catherine Arrieta. Nobody in the family plays guitar ... yet. But David is trying to teach himself.

Rose Marie Stein was in charge of the guitar drawing. Parents of the music students are taking turns helping with fund-raisers, which in coming months will include a trip drawing, car washes at the Granada Texaco station, and a vaudeville show Jan. 31 at The Barn.

The Madrigal group earned money during the holidays singing concerts for shopping centers, holiday parties and local organizations.

More than 40 students are hopinf to go on the big Mexico trip to one of the several festivals staged each year around the world by International Festivals, Inc.

The trip would be April 19-26 and would take students to Oaxtepec site of the Olympics and now the country's largest recreational area; Mexico City; and several side trips.

It would cost some $17,000 for the students, their teacher James Brockman and his wife, and chaperones.

April 22 is the big day the GHS singers will compete with other participants for prizes during an all-day concert on Oaxtepec. They'll also be busy with other public performances both before and after the contest.

Lab exec trails in KQED voting

Just as he expected, Pleasanton's Alexander Glass trailed in the recent KQED-TV board of directors elections, as did all the reform candidates who were challenging the established board.

A year ago, Glass' 3,134 votes would have won him the election. But this year, the station received some 31,631 ballots (not counting about 1,600 disqualified, mostly because they didn't bear the required label).

Glass, head of the Laser Theory Group at the Lawrence Livermore Lab, said in his campaign statement: "I support open board meetings and reforms called for by the Committee to Save KQED. Station management must be accessible and accountable to the public. We should hear the voices of dissent at the Board table, and respond constructively."

Among Glass' complaints was the assertion that only 15 of KQED's 102,000 paying subscribers could sit in at any one board meeting. Glass also wanted to improve the station's programming.

There were 12 candidates nominated by the board and eight write-in candidates. Winners rolled up 15,000 to 23,884 votes.

One of the board-nominated candidates Maria Del Drago tallied 14,641 votes — not quite enough to gain a seat on the board.

Of the eight write-in candidates (all of whom trailed the 12 board nominees), Glass placed second with his 3,134 votes.

Winners were: Stephen R. Barnett, law professor at UC Berkeley; Philip D. Armour III, attorney; Richard C. Blum, vice president, Sutro & Co.; Joseph Blumlein, retired Crown Zellerbach executive; Linda Hawes Clever, M.D.; Gerri Lange, president, Lange Productions; Claude L. Ganz, president, Dymo Industries; Cynthia Glasser, owner, The Factory Store.

Although most KQED members voted along establishment lines, the agitation for reform apparently stirred interest in what had formerly been a quiet race.

A spokesperson for the station said the 33,000 ballots received represented the biggest election response in the station's 22 years of existence.

Livermore council aspirant hits hiring of 'industrial recruiter'

LIVERMORE — City council candidate and local realtor Rich Buckely has critized Livermore's intention to hire a community development director, noting a "refreshing shift in attitudes on the council come March" will make that position unnecessary.

In a letter to the newspaper, Buckley explained "we do not need to hire a high priced industrial recruiter in Livermore.

"...The idea behind hiring the short-term executive was to put someone in City Hall with a degree of automony through the rank, pay, and line of reporting, who would work to offset the regional notoriety of Livermore fostered by the Miller-Futch et al mania," he contended.

"We have just received a blessing worth far more than the results obtainable from a recruiter in fostering a spirit of trust, encouragement, and cooperation in working to induce industry and commerce to locate in our area.

"The two above gentlemen are not running for office," Buckley explained.

The seats on the city council now filled by Don Miller and Mayor Archer Futch will be up for election in March and Buckley is one of nine candidates running for office.

The present council has set aside $35,000 for a community development director and his office expenses. His primary responsiblility will be to interest industry and commerce in locating in Livermore.

Eight candidates for the newly created position were interviewed earlier this week and the city manager is expected to report to the council on the sessions.

Referring to incumbents Miller and Futch, Buckley wrote, "providing they are not replaced with more of the same government employes running for office, voting themselves in, and dictating terms to the private sector, Livermore is going to make some important strides in recapturing its credibility in the business sector."

Buckley urged the city to table the decision to hire an industrial recruiter, noting the "idea is out of phase with changing political tones in Livermore ... only now coming to fruition after months of consideration."

The candidate's letter concluded that "we do not need to fill such an office.

"I think we are going to see a refreshing shift in attitudes on the council come March that will serve this community far greater than another high priced city executive."

Valley obituaries

Donald Graves

Donald A. Graves, 67, a retired Lawrence Livermore Laboratory electronic technician, died early Saturday at Oak Knoll Regional Medical Hospital in Oakland.

He was a native of New York and a 19-year resident of Pleasanton.

Survivors include two sons, Robert Graves, Sacramento, and David Graves, Port Hueneme, Calif. and a brother, Wesley Graves of New York.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, at the Graham Hitch Mortuary, 675 St. John St., Pleasanton, with the Rev. Robert Vogt officiating.

Interment will be held later in Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Mateo.

Friends may call at the mortuary at service time.

Donna Ross

Donna F. Ross, 45, a native of Montana and 19 year resident of Livermore, died last Thursday in Kaiser Hospital, Walnut Creek.

Survivors include her husband, Clarence, and sons Michael and David, and daughters Debora and Theresa, all of Livermore.

She also leaves four brothers, Ron Harris, San Jose; Clifford Harris, Orinda; Lon Harris, Manhattan Beach, and Clinton Harris of Burley, Idaho.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. in the Garden Chapel of Livermore Mortuary, 3070 East Ave., with Bishop Grant Gunnel officiating.

Graveside services at Livermore's Memory Gardens Cemetery will follow.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Jennie Sousa

Jennie Lou Sousa, 51, a native of Arkansas and one and one-half year resident of Livermore, died Tuesday in a San Leandro hospital.

Survivors include her sons, Patrick Sousa of Livermore; Ben Sousa, Santa Cruz, and a daughter, Derinda Messick of Nevada City.

She also leaves two sisters, Margaret Thomas, Livermore, and Ana L. Bottini of Pleasanton; a brother, Ralph Walker, Oregon; three grandchildren in Livermore and two in Nevada City.

Private family funeral services will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. in the Drawing Room Chapel of Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Ave., Livermore, with Michael Pertrillo officiating. Interment will be in the Pleasanton Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Friends may call after 11 a.m., Friday.

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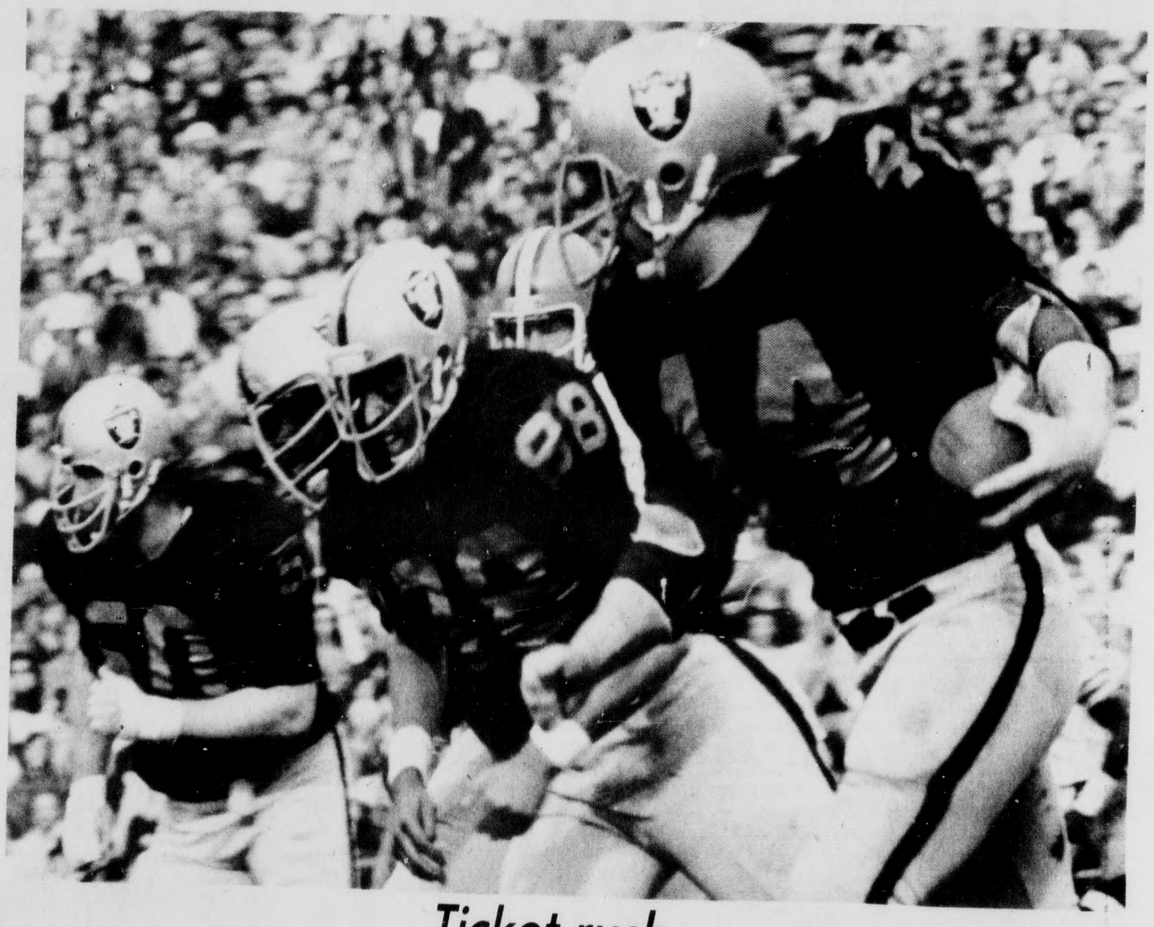

Ticket rush

Marv Hubbard (44), Bob Moore (88) and Dave Dalby (50) of the Oakland Raiders lead the rush against Pittsburgh Sunday in the AFC championship game. After that it's the Super Bowl. To be in the vanguard of Bay Area folks Miami-bound on Jan. 18, see sports today in The Times.

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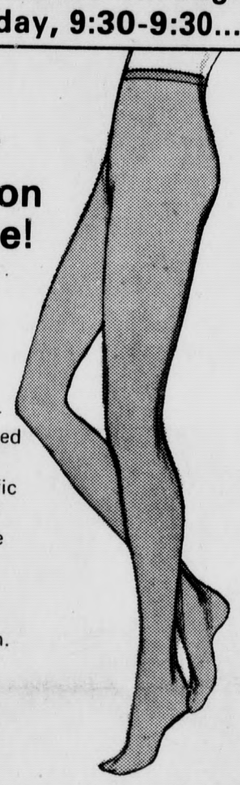

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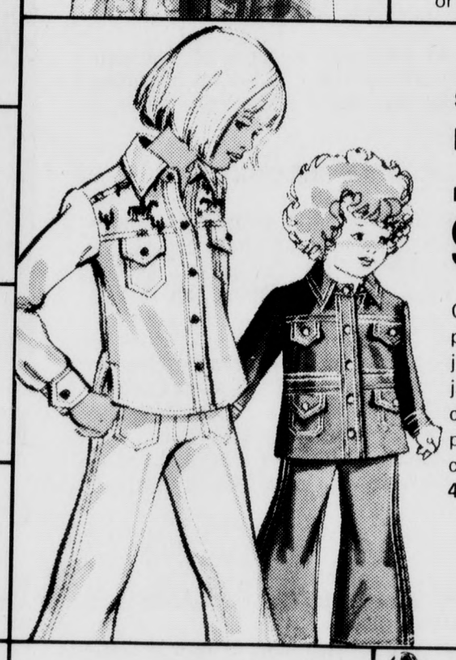

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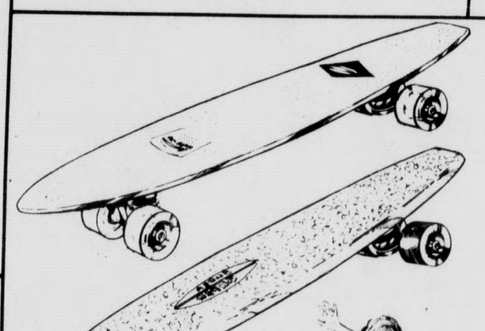

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The sparkling new Pleasanton Cultural Arts Center offers you and your children an opportunity to begin the New Year with a fresh learning experience, in case you missed the first block of classes sponsored at the center during the holiday season. The sunlit center boasts new equipment, notably a pair of wheels for throwing pottery and a kiln for baking ceramic art. Four new instructors have been recruited to direct several new classes — Mark Pignolet in ceramics and life-drawing, Lilli Briant in ceramics for children, Lois Wahle in stained glass art, and Cynthia Ostle in non-loom weaving. In a new series of classes for kids, Phyllis Couper will introduce pre-teens and teens to oil painting, and children eight years or older will create macrame art under the guidance of Billie Schmer. For the first time, pre-registration by mail will be permitted by the Pleasanton Recreation Department beginning Jan. 1. Checks for class fees may be made payable to the City of Pleasanton and mailed to the Recreation Department, 200 Bernal Avenue, Pleasanton. (Non-residents pay an additional $2 per class.) Pre-registration forms are available at the Recreation Department. Registration will be conducted Jan. 12-16 from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the West Winds Youth Center. Classes are filled on a 'first come first serve' basis, so remember that popular classes may be filled early.

New Year brings new classes at new center

CERAMICS FOR CHILDREN

Lilli Briant will introduce children six to eight years of age to the basic techniques of clay with the hand-building slab and coil methods. The class will meet Fridays from 3:30 to 5 p.m. for eight weeks beginning Jan. 23. Fee for the series is $12.

Instructor Briant graduated from the California College of Arts and Crafts in Oakland, and was certified in secondary education at California State University at Hayward. She has taught ceramics, jewelry making and leatherwork at Hayward, Berkeley and Emeryville, and earned top honors in ceramics at the 1974 Hayward Art Festival.

OIL PAINTING FOR PRE-TEENS AND TEENS

Phyllis Couper will conduct two classes in oil painting on Tuesdays beginning Jan. 20. The first class scheduled from 3:30 to 5 p.m. is open to eight- to twelve-year-olds; the second class from 5 to 6:30 p.m. is for teenagers. Fee is $12 for eight lessons.

CHILDREN'S MACRAME

Children eight years or older will construct macrame art with instruction from Billie Schmer Wednesdays, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Fee for the class which begins Jan. 21 is $12 and includes basic kit.

ADULT CERAMICS

Beginning and intermediate adult students will meet Mondays and Wednesdays beginning Jan. 12 from 3 to 6 p.m. and 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Fee for 60 hours is $30.

Instructor Mark Pignolet graduated in fine arts from Cal State at Hayward and is currently working on a masters degree. He has taught in Hayward school and volunteered as an aide in the ceramics program at Foothill High School with Mel Freidman. Pignolet operates his own studio in Hayward, and judged the ceramics section at the Alameda County Fair last year.

Intermediate and advanced adult students will meet under Pignolet's direction Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning Jan. 13 from 3 to 6 p.m. Fee is $30.

LIFE DRAWING

Mark Pignolet will teach the basic techniques of contour, volume and gesture complimented by an overriding concern with individual expression. Subjects will include live models in the class for beginning and intermediate artists.

The class convenes Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning Jan. 13 from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at a $30 fee.

STAINED AND LEADED GLASS

Lois Wahle will introduce two traditional techniques for cutting and joining colored glass. Projects will include Tiffany - style lamp molds and shades, hanging window ornaments, stained glass vest buckles, terrariums, hinged boxes.

The class is scheduled Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. to noon beginning Jan. 20 and Wednesdays from 7:30 to 10 p.m. beginning Jan. 21. Fee is $20.

Spacious ceramics studio at the Pleasanton Cultural Arts Center will offer a bright, comfortable environment conducive to the creative efforts of Mark Pignolet and his ceramics students. The center boasts a new kiln for firing ceramic art (below).

Instructor Wahle is a graduate in art education from Michigan State University, and has conducted a stained glass workshop at Ohlone College. She has presented displays and art-in-action for the Dunsmuir House in Oakland, and won a crafes prize at the Novato Oldtown Faire.

NON-LOOM WEAVING

Experimentation in color, texture and design will introduce non-loom weaving to students of Cynthia Ostle Mondays from 9 to 11 a.m. beginning Jan. 19. Fee is $16 and no experience is necessary.

Instructor Ostle is a prominent valley weaver and holds a degree from the University of California. She is presently one of three artists in California Cheshire Crafts.

OIL PAINTING

Artist Warren Wade will conduct an oil painting class Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. beginning Jan. 21. Fee for students of all levels is $18.

MACRAME

Beginning and advanced students of macrame will meet Wednesdays from 1 to 3 p.m. beginning Jan. 21 under the direction of Billie Schmer. Fee is $16.

FABRIC AND FIBER WORKSHOP

Barbara Van Slyke's class is designed for those who have learned the basics of stitchery and wish to create original works of art. The class convenes Fridays from 9 a.m. to noon beginning Jan. 23. Fee is $16.

Other courses offered by the Recreation Department at locations other than the Pleasanton Cultural Arts Center include: Watercolor instruction with Claire Haritoni, creative stitchery with Glenna Wilfley, cake decorating with Laura Wall and bridge with Blanche Stevens. For more information call 846-3202, Ext. 415.

inside the arts

HUNGRY ARTIST

Early in the morning as commuters round the Dublin Boulevard curve, S. Troy Bonie of Richmond can be seen setting up his paintings along Dougherty Road. The bright, almost fluorescent colors of the oil-on-felt paintings attract curious attention, but not many stop. The self-taught artist offers a wide range of subjects from snarling animals to placid Forest scenes. The Golden Gate Bridge is depicted in every color to suit all moods of 'mod' decor. He says the average time spent on a painting is six to ten hours, and he hates to quote prices. He'll bargain, haggle and kibitz for a sale. It's even less if you take two.

Front Row

By Al FISCHER

Announcement that Pleasanton Playhouse will do Woody Allen's "Don't Drink The Water" didn't stir nearly the ripple as where the production will be presented.

The Sunol Valley Golf Course, however, is a reflection of the twin facts that Playhouse personnel and audience come not only from this valley but from surrounding areas such as Metropolitan Alameda County and Contra Costa County.

It is a gamble of sorts.

But with the Amador Valley High School auditorium "booked," Playhouse organizers were obligated to look at other possible prosceniums. The other known stage is that of the Veterans Memorial Building.

While the Vets building has been a long and faithful servant of Playhouse productions, the possibilities that Sunol offers are almost boundless.

The main room at Sunol is not only large and beautifully fashioned, but ready-made for pre-theater gatherings — whether cocktails or conversation. One could even become hypothetical and wonder if a dinner-theater arrangement could not come from this — albeit a very ambitious, time consuming and costly added project.

"Don't Drink The Water" and Sunol's main room appear made for each other.

It remains now for production director Cliff Beyer and the Playhouse staging staff to fit the players to the parts and to bring out every nuance of Allen's agile comedic mind. That begins with auditions scheduled for Jan. 5 and 6 at the Veterans Memorial Building. Twelve roles, mostly male, will be cast and the Playhouse is also seeking back stage craftsmen for scenery design and construction, makeup, costuming and lighting. As with most productions, and particularly with this one at Sunol, the lighting should be a critical consideration.

Auditions at the Vets building will commence at 8 p.m. Play dates are early March.

For more information, call Bev Hamlin at 846-1455.

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Valley film buffs have an opportunity to view two of the better films of 1975 this week.

The Vine in Livermore is showing "3 Days of The Condor" and Dublin Cinema is reprising "Jaws" plus "Condor."

Off speculations of the highly-regarded Associated Press writer Bob Thomas, Jack Nicholson and his starring vehicle "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" are early favorites for the "Best Actor" and "Best Film" statuettes.

Thomas sees the other top films of 1975 as being "Jaws," "Shampoo," "Nashville," "Barry Lyndon," "The Man Who Would Be King," "Dog Day Afternoon," "Special Section," "Tommy," and "The Hindenburg."

I am surprised he has not included in this group "Hedda," a portrayal of Hedda Gabler, from the play by Ibsen of the same name.

Of all the above, we've only viewed three and would strongly back "Nashville" — until the opportunity arises to see "Barry Lyndon," "The Hindenburg" and "The Man Who Would Be King."

We cannot agree with Thomas' contention that "As in recent years, the major quality crisis occurs in the Best Actress category. No offense to the ladies. As they all agree, today's movie world doesn't favor their sex."

Glenda Jackson is certainly one of the premiere actresses of the present era and I feel she will probably earn an Oscar for her performance in "Hedda."

Certainly, Marilyn Hassett (as the injured ski champ in "The Other Side of The Mountain"), Lee Grant ("Shampoo"), Liza Minnelli ("Lucky Lady") and possibly Karen Black ("Nashville") are contenders.

In upcoming January and February columns we'll look at contenders in the other Oscar categories, talk about some of the lemons of '75 and what directions films (and stage offerings) will be taking in '76.

Utah Symphony in concert at Chabot

The famed Utah Symphony, conducted by Maurice Abravanel, comes to the Chabot College-Community Auditorium Jan. 17 with a program on an American theme featuring Dvorak's Symphony No. 5, "From the New World."

Abravanel is second in tenure only to Philadelphia's Eugene Ormandy among all conductors of major symphony orchestras in the country.

Organized in 1945, the Utah Symphony has appeared throughout the West as well as in such great concert halls as Kennedy Center at Washington, D.C., the Carnegie Hall at New York and London's Royal Festival Hall. Its quality has attracted such guest artists as Pianist Arthur Rubenstein, Cellist Gregor Piatigorski, Tenor Jan Peerce and Violinist Jascha Heifetz.

The opening selection for the Jan. 17 concert will "An American Salute" by Morton Gould, an original orchestral arrangement of the Civil War Marching song "When Johnny Comes Marching Home Again."

Tickets for the concert are available at $2 per person at the Pleasanton Recreation Department and the Odyssey Box Office in Livermore. For information valley residents may call 455-5300. The auditorium is located at 25555 Hesperian Blvd., Hayward.

College play earns honor

Chabot College's recent production, "I Can Get It for You Wholesale," has been selected as one of five finalists in the western regional competition conducted by the American College Theatre Festival.

The winner, to be chosen Jan. 21-25 at California State University in San Francisco, will earn the honor of performing this summer at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C.

This is the second straight year a Chabot College production directed by Glenn DuBose, drama instructor, has advanced to the regional finals.

Television Listings

NEW YEAR'S DAY

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
3-4-5-10-44—Special: Tournament of Roses Parade
40—Dennis the Menace

9:00 A.M.
2—Big Valley
7—A.M. San Francisco
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Morning Scene
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
40—I Love Lucy

10:00 A.M.
2—Movie: "My Friend Flicka"
13—Truth or Consequences
40—Japanese New Year

10:30 A.M.
7-13—Happy Days
44—Tournament of Roses Parade

11:00 A.M.
3-4—Pilot Special
5-10—Cotton Bowl: Bulldogs vs. Razorbacks
7-13—Rhyme and Reason
36—Public Affairs

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Movie: "Start the Revolution Without Me"
7-13—Neighbors
36—Yoga

NOON
2—Courtship of Eddie's Father
7-13—Edge of Night
36—Movie: "Alarm on 83rd Street"
40—Dick Van Dyke

12:30 P.M.
2—That Girl
7-13—All My Children
40—Andy Griffith
44—Movie: "Have Rocket, Will Travel"

1:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "7th Cavalry"
7-13—Ryan's Hope
40—Movie: "In Enemy Country"

1:30 P.M.
3-4—Rose Bowl Pre-Game Show
7-13—Let's Make A Deal

1:45 P.M.
3-4—Rose Bowl: Buckeyes vs. Bruins

2:00 P.M.
5-10—Special: Cotton Bowl Festival Parade
7-13—$10,000 Pyramid
36—Mike Douglas
44—Underdog

2:30 P.M.
7—One Life to Live
13—To Tell the Truth
44—Huck and Yogi

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky and Friends
7-13—General Hospital
40—Mickey Mouse Club
44—Popeye

3:30 P.M.
2—Batman
5—Mod Squad
7—Movie: "Mutiny on the Bounty
10—American Life Style
13—One Life to Live
36—Movie: "Almost a Bride"
40—Captain's Cartoons
44—Three Stooges

4:00 P.M.
2—Mickey Mouse Club
9—Mister Rogers
10—Mike Douglas
13—Beverly Hillbillies
40—Munsters
44—Little Rascals

4:30 P.M.
2—Gilligan's Island
5—Mike Doulgas
9—Sesame Street
13—Gomer Pyle
40—Partridge Family
44—Flintstones

4:45 P.M.
3-4—Orange Bowl: Oklahoma vs. Michigan

5:00 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
7—News
13—Adam-12
40—Mod Squad

5:30 P.M
2—Bewitched
9—Electric Company
10-13—News
36—Get Smart
44—Monkees

6:00 P.M.
2-40—Star Trek
5-7-10-13—News
9—Carrascolendas
36—Movie: "Father Was a Fullback"
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
9—Victory at Caratan
13—Merv Griffin
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2—FBI
5-7—News
9—Say Brother
10—Concentration
40—Movie: "The Music Man"
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
5—New Treasure Hunt
7—Accidents will Happen
9—Lowell Thomas Remembers
10—Hollywood Squares

8:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "Belles on Their Toes"
3-4—News
5-10—Waltons
7-13—Barney Miller
9—World Press
36—Movie: "Annie Oakley"
44—Dinah!

8:30 P.M.
3—1975 News Review
4—Candid Camera
7-13—On the Rocks
9—Classic Theatre Preview

9:00 P.M.
3—Movie: "Birdman of Alcatraz"
4—Movie: "The Railway Children"
5-10—Hawaii Five-O
7-13—Streets of San Francisco
9—Classic Theatre

9:30 P.M.
44—Best of Groucho

10:00 P.M.
2—News
5-10—Barnaby Jones
7-13—Harry O
36—Merv Griffin
44—Movie: "The Best Things in Life Are Free"

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
4-5-7-10-13—News
40—Thriller

11:30 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
3-4—Johnny Carson
5-10—Movie: "Artists and Models"
7—Mannix
13—Ironside
36—Movie: "Cardinal Richelieu"

MIDNIGHT
2—News
36-40—Movies All Night

astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

For Thursday, Jan. 1, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Avoid competitive situation today. If you play the game, do it for fun, not for gold or glory.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Some strong views of yours may offend your audience today. If you sense this, back off a bit.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Don't make large material requests today. Though you feel others owe you for past favors, they'll consider it an imposition.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Be careful today not to get in the middle with friends or family. It will only cast you as the villain.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You could make an unwise, impulsive promise to help someone today because you're in an expansive mood. You'll be the goat when you can't deliver.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your well-intentioned New Year's resolutions could be shattered today if you're not careful. Guard against overindulgence.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Trying to wrap up an important deal in a hurry today may be a grave mistake. Be patient. Accept time as your ally.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Today, don't try to monopolize the conversation with subjects you alone are interested in. Give everyone a chance to air their views.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Feeling like a wheeler-dealer today? Be too lavish with your resources and you'll learn the meaning of "waste not, want not"!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Today, you shouldn't press to have your way. Make your pitch, then graciously go along with others if outvoted.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Don't read derogatory meaning into things others say to you today. You could end up with hurt feelings, when no malice was intended.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Be a trifle cynical about things acquaintances propose to you today, particularly if they're "pie in the sky" propositions.

your birthday

Jan. 1, 1976

Two major unrelated interests will dominate much of your time this coming year. To gain full advantage from both, treat them separately.

FAMILY CIRCUS

"Jeffy and PJ aren't startin' the New Year off right!"

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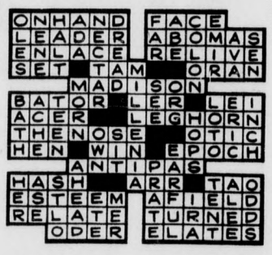
Kid Stuff

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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5 Toys for kids
9 Health resort for big kids
12 Class of vertebrates
13 Gudrun's spouse (myth.)
14 Ever (poet.)
15 Of a kid's haircut
17 Scottish alder
18 Penetrate
19 Canadian province
21 Multitudes
23 Depot (ab.)
24 Heart (anat.)
27 On the briny
29 Above
32 Corrects
34 Classes
36 Rewrite
37 Take vengeance
38 Allowance for waste
39 London gallery
41 Distress signal
42 Regular (ab.)
44 Outlet
46 Perform surgery
49 Pertaining to tides
53 Oriental coin
54 Submarine part
56 Varnish ingredient
57 Direction
58 Operatic solo
59 Native metal
50 Pochard
61 Whip

DOWN
1 Diminish
2 English stream
3 Twisted
4 Road curves
5 Uncle Remus' "—— Baby"
6 Useless
7 Scheme
8 Alluvial deposits
9 Sculpins (2 wds.)
10 Persian fairy
11 Italian river
16 Mountain nymphs
20 Make reparation
22 Property item
24 Kid's vehicle
25 Sheaf
26 Obeisance
28 Kid's marble
30 Therefore (Latin)
31 Scottish sail yards
33 Saltpeter
35 Happenings
40 Reluctant
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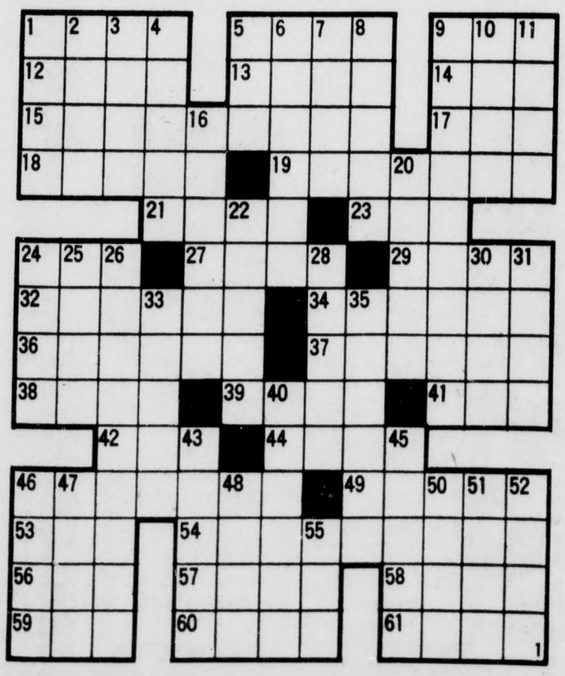

WIN AT BRIDGE

Finesse not in the cards

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WEST		EAST
♠ Q 10 9		♠ A J 6 4 3
♥ 10 8 2		♥ 3
♦ K Q J 8 7 4		♦ 10 9 6 5 2
♣ K		♣ 7 3
	SOUTH (D)	
	♠ 8 7 5	
	♥ A K 7 5 4	
	♦ A	
	♣ A Q 9 8	

North-South vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 ♥
2 ♦	3 ♥	5 ♦	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead — K ♦

By Oswald & James Jacoby

"I guess I should have resolved to hold my hand further back," growled West.

"I didn't see any of your cards," said South. "It just happens that my New Year's resolution was not to take any finesses for the sheer joy of finessing."

South had drawn trumps, led the jack of clubs from dummy and hopped up with his ace. That dropped West's singleton king and gave South a chance to discard two spades on dummy's long clubs and make his contract with an overtrick.

South's play had been eminently correct. He could afford to lose a club trick to East because East could not lead a spade through dummy's king. He could not afford to lose to West because that might give the defense one club and two spades.

If West held the guarded king of clubs there was nothing South could do. But if West held the singleton king, South could pick it up which is just what he did.

Ask the Jacobys

A Florida reader wants to know what a "Tenace position" is.

The best explanation is to give the simple example. South holds the ace and queen of spades. If East holds the king, South's ace-queen have a tenace position over the king. If West holds the king he has a tenace position over South's ace-queen.

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CROSSWORD

"When they gather into a group like that, they're tellin' secrets!"

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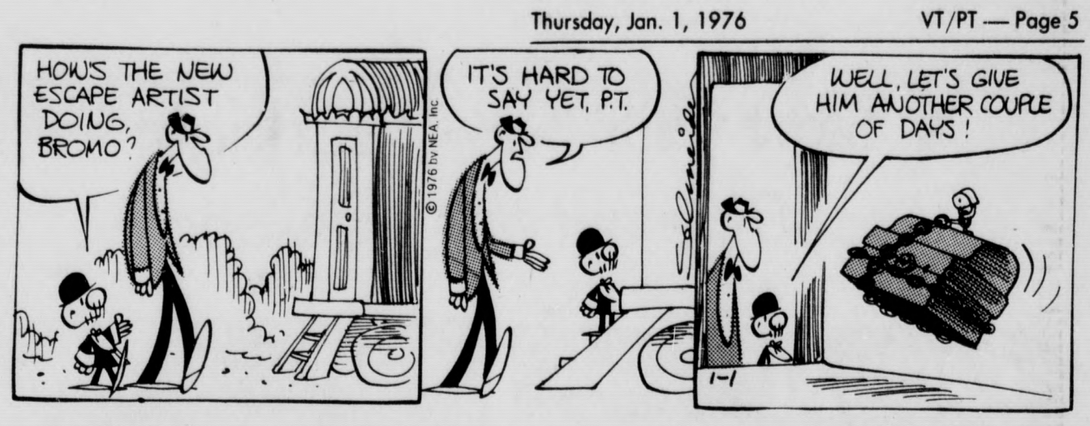

THE BORN LOSER

IS THIS YOUR DOLL, HATTIE?
YEAH, I GOT 'ER FOR CHRISTMAS! SHE'S NEAT!
SHE EATS, TALKS, CRIES, DRINKS AND I CALL HER "TINKLE"!
WHY DO YOU CALL HER--
Art Sansom
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MOOSE MILLER

WHAT DID THE DOCTOR SAY TO DO FOR YOUR INSOMNIA, MOOSE?
HE SUGGESTED I TRY READING MYSELF TO SLEEP
LATER
HOW IS IT WORKING?
I'M GETTING SLEEPY, BUT MY STOMACH IS WIDE AWAKE!
COOK BOOK
BOB WEBER
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CAMPUS CLATTER

IT'S GREAT OF BIMO TO HELP ME GET STARTED IN COLLEGE!
I'LL NEVER FORGET HIS FIRST DAYS AT SCHOOL!
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IN FACT, WE STILL HAVE HIS FIRST LETTER FROM COLLEGE!
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TO THIS DAY MY WALLET CRINGES EVERY TIME THE POSTMAN STOPS!
Lewis

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FRANK AND ERNEST

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"You got one that doesn't eat single socks?"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"He's really not a man-on-the-go. He just has a wife-on-the-push!"

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Cherie Masoner, pictured above, has been the assistant manager at Han's Chinese Restaurant for nearly three years. Owner Bok F. Pon feels a special attachment to the valley and, with the exception of his cooks, employs only localites. Cherie is a data processing major at Cal State Hayward. Han's will introduce free, "all you can eat" meals to kindergarten and first grade students in mid-January. It's Bok's way of introducing youngsters to the wondrous delights of oriental cooking. The Dublin restaurant also features catering and take-out service. Bok specializes in private banquets, company parties and weddings. For the uninitiated, a multi-course, Chinese wedding banquet — or a catered rehearsal dinner — can be the ultimate in gastronomic pleasure.

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Live Wire shocks town

Pleasanton's perennial watering hole and dining center, Terry Huft's Pleasanton Hotel, will feature the exciting "Live Wire quintet beginning this Saturday. The group will play in the "Saloon" on Saturday nights through Feb. 7, then rock the rafters on both Friday and Saturday nights starting Feb. 13.

Led by Pleasanton's Bernie Berke (sax and flute), Live Wire is long on talent. Featured vocalist Jeannine Martin has just returned from a nation-wide tour, while Charles Caratti, guitar and vocals (center), teaches at the Curtis School of Music. Charles Gambetta, bass guitar, and drummer Eric Larsen are music majors at Cal State University, Hayward.

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... IN THE VALLEY

Shown in action above are (l. to r.) Jeannine Martin, vocalist; Bernie Berke, sax and flute; Charles Caratti, guitar and vocals; Eric Larsen, drums and Charles Gambetta, upright bass and bass guitar.

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Refectory claims top hot drink

It's hard to convince people that your Hot Buttered Rum is the best in the west, says the Refectory's Bob Gattis.

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As manager of the Dublin Refectory, one of the Bay Area's original steak and lobster houses, Bob doesn't limit his holiday fare to rich, bone warming drinks.

The new steak and teriyaki - chicken dinner is a favorite with his customers, along with the bargain $5.50 Beef Kabob, a smorgasbord of beef, bell peppers and tomatoes broiled on a skewer and served on a plate of piping hot, spiced rice.

The Refectory, which originated in the East Bay and now blankets the west coast from Arizona to Washington and stretches east to Chicago, pioneered the steak and lobster entree.

Keeping with tradition, Bob serves an 8 oz. broiled sirloin steak with a single, Australian lobster tail baked in butter. The combination always has been a favorite with Refectory customers.

The menu was expanded last year to include scampi and Alaskan King Crab, in addition to the perennial sirloin, teriyaki sirloin and New York steaks, and two cuts of juicy prime rib.

The 15-foot salad bar lets customers vent their creative energies as they build a mountain of green beany, beets and carrots on a mound of lettuce and red cabbage. One spices the salad with fresh cut mushrooms and scallions and fresh ground parmesan cheese, as well as bacon-bits and grind - it - yourself pepper.

Bartenders Jim Murphy, Jeanette McMullen and Mike Calabrese pour up a storm of drinks with their oversized, double-shot highball glasses. While "Murph" has perfected the world of sports trivia for lunch customers, Jeanette and Mike offer a pleasant round of evening conversation for the diner.

Singer/entertainer Cleave Jones is a proven crowd pleaser on Friday and Saturday evenings. The veteran Bay Area performer now plays exclusively at Refectory Restaurants throughout the area.

Chefs Mike Ferrante and Gary Lynd were chosen personally by manager Bob Gattis after the two proved themselves the most capable in the Refectory chain.

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What to do if Raiders win Sunday

All right so you've made that New Year's Day resolution to pour the Smirnoff's and Jim Beam down the sewer. You swear the rest of your evenings until eternity will be spent fireside with volumes of Dickens and Chaucer, that there will never be another party. Last night was definitely the last straw.

Well hold on just a minute. Don't be too hasty. Put off those promises and jump off the wagon for a couple of weeks.

The Oakland Raiders may be playing in the Super Bowl Jan. 18 and you don't want to be left home with a glass of buttermilk if that happens.

This is the ultimate in revelry, regardless of what Guy Lombardo says — a weekend in Miami with Pete Rozelle and his football nomes, streets lined with bikini-clad groupies and parties awash in Gatorade.

The Super Bowl bash will make last night's Times Square celebration look as stark as Robert Frost's New England winter. By kickoff, most fans will have forgotten why they boarded that plane back in San Francisco.

If you enjoy football, and if you survived last night's carousing, you may want to book passage to the NFL championship. Of course your trip will be predicated on the assumption that Oakland will be meaner than Mean Joe Greene Sunday in Pittsburgh.

But for the sake of today's feature, let's consider it so.

Now comes the problem. No, the problem is not smuggling the Oakland Raider thermos bottle filled with hootch past airport metal detectors.

According to travel spokesmen, Florida is bursting with tourists. It is enjoying a banner winter season. Put the Super Bowl on top of that and there's just no room left at the at motels.

If the Nativity had been scheduled this winter in Miami Beach, they'd have to transfer it to St. Jacksonville.

You'll need a tour package including flight, tickets, accommodations, transportation and an endless supply of air sickness bags. Some local travel agents aren't even offering a Super Bowl travel plan. The demand is not great, they say, in Dublin, Livermore or Pleasanton.

There are opportunities for the super fan, however.

Pleasanton Travel Service and Athenour-Macchi Travel Agency of Pleasanton offer an identical package that lasts four days.

According to Athenour, side junkets can be included to New Orleans or the Carribean.

The Southern Alameda County Oakland Raider Booster Club is featuring a six-day package that seems to be most popular with football fans.

There may be other ways to go, but you'll have to check with individual agents.

The two Pleasanton firms offer a package that begins with a Friday, Jan. 16 flight from the Bay Area. Night coach cost is $308 per person.Regular coach fare runs $386. Return flight is Monday, Jan. 19.

Accommodations will be at either the Holiday Inn, or the Bahia Mar in Miami. Champagne brunch will be offered there Sunday prior to the Super Bowl. Saturday, the tour package includes a day at Hialeah Race Track. Transportation between hotel, airport and Orange Bowl is provided. End zone Super Bowl tickets are included. Cost for all of that is $210, not including the flight. Rooms at the Bahia are $15 more, and sideline seats in the Orange Bowl are an extra $25.

In other words, minimum cost of the tour would be $518. The maximum would be $636.

A seven - day Carribean cruise is available for $325 per person. Side tours to New Orleans are possible, but the air fare jumps to $413.

The Raider Booster tour package is a six-day offer for $510. Tour members will be quartered at a condominium resort in Ft. Lauderdale, and transported to Miami.

A brunch and dinner is included in the price, plus tickets to the game. The flight departs the Bay Area Wednesday, Jan. 14, and returns on the 19th.

There is a catch. Only booster club members may sign up. But anyone can be a booster member by mailing a $5 initiation fee. Address is P.O. Box 901, San Leandro, Ca., 94577. At the same time, Super Bowl tour checks may be mailed Checks are payable to the club acronym, S.A.C.O.R B.C.

The booster charter flight will take 254 people. Already, 50 have signed up.

— Mike Zampa

Gun Club has deer shoot

THE LIVERMORE-PLEASANTON Rod and Gun Club will start the annual running deer shoot in January. A practice shoot on Jan. 4 will be a warm-up for the real thing, which starts Jan. 18.

If you need to sight in your running deer rifle, there will be a few benches just for that sort of thing. The running deer always brings out plenty of tough competition, but with a little practice you may beat it.

There will be an Iron Chicken and linguisa shoot on both the 4th and 18th, and these are always enjoyable. Bring your shooting buddies and plenty of ammo.

Bill Caldwell (447-4677) and Roger Matusda (447-8198) head up the running deer committee and I'm sure they will gladly answer any questions pertaining to the up-coming shoots.

MANUEL MINOGIA, chairman of the trap shooting committee, has announced the first PITA shoot of 1976 will be held at the local gun club Jan. 11. All PITA rules will be in effect. Good prizes will be awarded to the top shooters.

So bring your best shooting iron; and if you reload, bring your own shells. The club sells shells to competition shooters.

Hope to see you out at the club grounds bright and early! A couple of practice traps will be open early, about 9 o'clock.

IF CHRISTMAS has brought a new gun or archery equipment into your home, prepare now to train the owner — adult or youngster — to handle it safely.

The best way to get the training is through the standard hunter safety training course.

Firearms and bow and arrow safety is not just for the hunter, but for all shooters, although hunters pay the bills for the training.

The training also qualifies successful students for the purchase of their first California hunting license.

California's hunter safety training program, second in the nation and the first to require training for adults, was inaugurated in 1954. It has trained over 800,000 persons in safe hunting practices, sportsmanship and the principles of conservation.

George Orloff, hunter safety committee chairman, says a new class will start some time in January at the Livermore - Pleasanton Rod and Gun Club. Sign-ups will be taken at Agnew's Custom Saddlery, 153 North L St.; or at Dom's Surplus, 56 South Livermore Ave. After sign-ups, George will call and give information as to when and how long the sessions will run.

A year-old law prohibiting the importation, transportation and possession of many species of live wild animals to ensure the welfare of these animals is now being strictly enforced, the Department of Fish and Game advises pet owners.

A so-called grandfather clause in the law provides that permits may be issued for restricted species which were in the owners' possession before Jan. 1, 1975.

Inspector Don Stork of the DFG's Wildlife Protection Branch in Sacramento explained that the department had not demanded immediate compliance with SB 1766 which became effective last Jan. 1.

Stork said the reasons for the delay were to: (1) give pet owners the opportunity to become acquainted with the new restrictions; (2) familiarize wardens with enforcement procedures, and (3) make allowances for the effects of local ordinances designed to accomplish the same objectives as SB 1766.

Foothill gym opening delayed

That long-awaited dedication of the Foothill High School gym is still up in the air. At least for another week, that is.

"We hope to start league play in our new gym," said Falcon coach Tom Hansen. "The gym hasn't been okayed by the league yet."

As a result the Falcons will play their last non-league contest in Amador High's gym against Patterson High School from the Central Valley.

The Falcons dropped a 94-67 decision to Marina of San Lorenzo Tuesday night at Amador.

Robert McDonald of the Falcons swished the nets for 27 points but Jerry Halliday canned a school record 38 markers for the winners. Steve Sparber and Rick Rosenback added 19 and 10 points respectively for the Falcons.

Foothill grabbed a 19-16 first-quarter advantage but the San Lorenzo squad canned 26 second-quarter points to grab the lead for good. Campbell set up the overtime period with a 20-foot jumper with six seconds remaining in the fourth quarter.

The contest was well - matched all the way. Merced took a 16-15 first - period advantage but the Matadors rallied to tie the game at halftime, 25-25. The Matadors played good ball in the third period, outscoring the Merced squad 15-11 for a 40-36 lead at the quarter break.

However, the Matadors went into a fourth-quarter slump and gained their only field goal on Campbell's game-tieing jumper. Merced played time-killing basketball an outscored the Matadors, 9-5, thus setting the stage for Wujek's overtime heroics.

Pro golfers in Monterey

MONTEREY (AP) — Some of the professional golf tour's regular players will tune up their games here, with a chance to win $12,000 while doing it, in the annual pre-tour event which opens today on three courses.

The $65,000 Lynx Pro-Am will be played over the Laguna Seca, Corral de Tierra and Rancho Canada courses.

Pros entered include past winners Rod Funseth and Rafe Botts, along with Dave Stockton, George Archer, Larry Ziegler, Pete Brown, Rod Curl, Curtis Sifford, Bob Wynn, Mark Hayes, Victor Regalado, Gary McCord, Jim Wiechers and Ron Cerrudo.

Last year's winner, Forrest Fezler, is recovering from wrist surgery. He hopes to return to action the third week of the tour in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Am at nearby Pebble Beach.

There will be three rounds of pro-am competition, with the 180 touring and club pros competing with amateurs. Then the top 90 pros will play Sunday's final round alone at the par-71 Laguna Seca course to determine who wins the $12,000 first-place check.

Youth Kegler leagues start

Livermore's Granada Bowl will start its Youth Spring Bowling leagues in mid-January.

The leagues will run at 4 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays and at 9:30 a.m. and noon on Saturdays.

Monday leagues start on January 19th and end May 24. Junior bowlers ages 13-17 will bowl three games and youths ages 10-12 will play two games. Thursday leagues start January 29 and end May 27. Youngsters under nine years old will bowl in the Pee Wee League and bowlers ages 10-14 will play in the Prep division. Both groups will bowl two games.

Junior League bowlers will play at 9:30 a.m. on Saturdays. Prep League bowlers will play at noon. For further information call Granada Bowl at 447-5600.

In limited league action last week Fred Cook led the Men's Classic with a 244 game and a 630 series. Dennis Fanucchi tallied a 259 game and a 612 set. Connie Jones led the Women's Invitational Loop with a 214 game and a 585 set.

The Mixed group saw Woody Manchester bowl a 226 game and a 562 series.

Allied Brokers and Purity Cleaners will represent the Men's Classic League at the Northern California Propreitors Team Tournament in Lodi. Club Rodeo and Pacific Coast Realitors will represent the Women's Classic League at the Northern California finals in Turlock.

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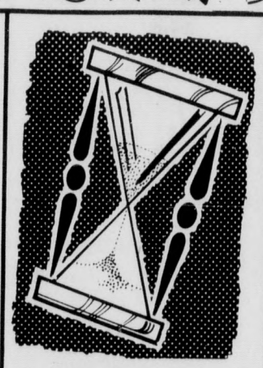

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Public comment asked on meals

The U.S. Department of Agriculture is asking for public comment on their plan to develop a cooperative federal-state program of information on school breakfasts.

The purpose of the program is to inform schools and the public of the availability and benefits of the school breakfast program and to expand the program where needed.

As provided in Public Law 94-105, the department will transmit to Congress by Feb. 6 both the states' and USDA's plans for expansion of the breakfast progral, which provides for free nutritious breakfasts for needy children and low-cost breakfasts for other children, on the theory that better learning takes place when children are well fed and comfortable.

Section 3 of PL 94-105 states that school breakfasts should be available in "all schools where it is needed to provide adequate nutrition for children in attendance."

So far, the only free breakfasts offered in the Valley are at one school in Livermore.

Comments on the plan to inject new life into an old program should go to William G. Boling, Director, Child Nutrition Division, Food and Nutrition Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

Chabot lists class in filmed history

LIVERMORE — A unique course entitled "Movies Look at the U.S." will be presented by Chabot's Valley campus during the Winter Quarter beginning Jan. 5.

The course, developed by History instructor Esther Goldberg, will center on attempts in our society to make our social and political institutions responsive and responsible.

The feature film provides the audience with the opportunity to participate in the dramatic, emotional intensity and pathos of American history, to become involved as people were involved, and perhaps to understand better our success and failures.

City offers tennis tips

PLEASANTON — Openings remain in all levels of tennis instruction for sessions one, two and three in the city recreation department's program.

Fee for adults is $18 for eight one-hour lessons and for junior players 18 and under the fee is $12 for eight one-hour lessons. Registration is taken at the recreation department office, 200 Bernal Avenue, between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Airman Warren

Airman Basic Mark David Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Warren of 8 Castledown in Pleasanton, entered training at Lackland Air Force Base recently. Warren graduated as an Honor Graduate and with a citation of outstanding physical performance on Ddc. 2. He was sent to Chanute AFB to take his place along with other SAC units, receiving training in their operation. Warren is already a private pilot and feels he wants to learn about the nuts and bolts of airplanes.

'Healthy aging' class slated in Pleasanton

PLEASANTON — Dr. E. Fritz Schmerl, chief of geriatrics medicine at Fairmont Hospital in San Leandro, will teach a class in "healthy aging" at Pleasanton Gardens beginning January 6.

The class will be offered from 1 p.m. to 2:50 p.m. on Tuesdays. To register prospective students can come at 12:30 p.m. the day of the class. There is no fee for Pleasanton residents. Enrollment is open to anyone who is a high school graduate or is 18 years old and can profit from instruction.

Dr. Schmerl will emphasize healthy biological aging and identify some of the things which contribute to maladies of advancing years, according to the Pleasanton Recreation Department and Chabot College valley campus, co-sponsors of the class.

Two area lensmen included in show

LIVERMORE — The work of two local amateur photographers. Myron Heusinkveld and Steve McKaskey, will be on display during the U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Outdoor Recreation Bicentennial exhibition, "Leisure in America 1976."

Their three photographs will be among 44 prints submitted from throughout the United States which are now being handled by the Arizona Commission on Arts and Humanities. The commission will design, package and schedule the show nationally next year.

The three local photographs were taken of local outdoor recreation offered in Livermore Area Recreation and Park District (LARPD) programs at Camp Shelley (Lake Tahoe), Camp El Toro and a Motocross meet.

Judges for the traveling exhibition were the regional director of the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, Rolland B. Handley, the associate director for the University of New Mexico art museum, Tom Barrow, and the assistant professor of art at the university, Wayne R. Lazorik.

Council hopeful sets Pleasanton flea mart sale

PLEASANTON — Many people may be seeing pink elephants after their New Year's Eve revelries, but Gene Finch hopes they soon will be seeing white elephants.

Finch, a city council candidate, will sponsor a white elephant sale from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Jan 10 and 11 in the parking lot of Bank of America.

Besides the usual garage sale items expected to be donated to the open-air flea market, the sale will feature costume jewelry and a chance to meet and talk with the candidate.

Anyone wishing to donate items to the sale can arrange for pickup by phoning 462-5900 days and 846-3473 or 846-5024 evenings.

Valley agent lists aliens

PLEASANTON — A busy border patrol tallied up 4,283 illegal aliens sent back to Mexico and another 18 returned to other countries last month.

Chief patrol agent Herbert E. Walsh said some 2,533 more were arrested last month — as harvest season closed — but 527 fewer were arrested last year during November.

A total of 77 per cent were employed, earning up to $7 per hour.

Walsh heads the Livermore Station based at Camp Parks and covering the counties of Alameda, northern Santa Clara, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, Sonoma, Lake, Mendocino, Trinity, Humboldt and Del Norte.

Bank honors vet staffers

PLEASANTON — Fifteen employes of the First National Bank of Pleasanton have been honored for long-term service to that firm.

A Christmas dinner for the bank's entire staff was the occasion for that tribute. Claiming 30 years or more with the bank are Lorraine Smith and Warren Harding. Bob Philcox and Alma Lovingier each have over 20 years; Anah Bottini, Elsie Harless and Betty Holstein, ten years or more; Lois Brunskill, Sheila Donohue, Marge Headly, Hilda Martene, Peggy McLain, Sonya Richards, Yvonne Seery and David Tritsch all have five years or more with the bank.

So, what's new?

LIVERMORE — Three Christmas babies made their appearance in the Valley — two in Pleasanton and one in Livermore.

Valley Memorial Hospital announces the arrival of a girl on Christmas Day to Steven and Sandra Sanders, 8981 Mines Road, Livermore; and boys to Joseph and JoAnn Pannisi, 5145 Springdale Ave., and James and Barbara Kavanagh, 3236 Runnymeade Court, both in Pleasanton.

Other holiday arrivals at VMH included:

Dec. 14, a boy to Richard and Judy Asbe, 1111 Country Lane, Pleasanton.

Dec. 22, a boy to Steven and Patricia Holmes, 161 Turquoise Way, Livermore, and a girl to Jesse and Diane Coffman, 38550 Overacker Ave., Fremont.

Dec. 23, a girl to Thomas and Betty Jennings, 431 Armida Court, Livermore.

Dec. 24, a girl to Richard and Helene Van Alstine, 5601 Idlewild Ave., Livermore.

Dec. 26, a boy to Robert and Barbara Ohlsen, 433 Ontario Drive, Livermore; a girl to William and Lynn Macedo, 357 Swan Drive, Livermore.

Dec. 27, a boy to Rowland and Sherry Coad, 851 Las Flores Road, Livermore.

Dec. 28, boys to George and Mildred Finigan, 1745 Sixth St., Livermore, and Robert and Deborah Johnson, 9085 Alcosta Blvd., San Ramon.

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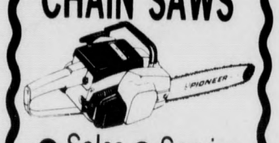

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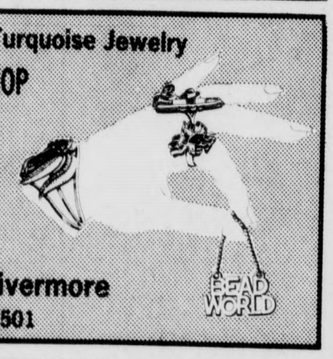

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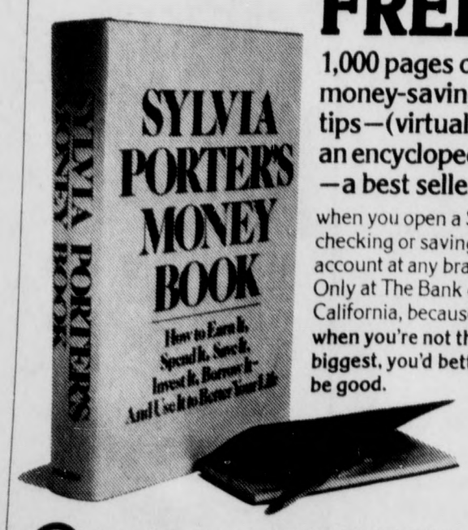

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

4. Lost & Found

FOUND: Black Shepherd mix, female, white chest. Vic. Vineyard & Isabel, Liv. 447-6997.

FOUND: Greyish min. Sheep Dog, female, flea collar, vic. of Almond Ave., Liv. 447-7973.

FOUND: Small black puppy w/white on chest, male. Vic. Dublin High. 829-4464.

FOUND: Young Orange Tiger cat, Hansen & Hopyard, Pleas. Call 462-2684.

FOUND: 2 Shetland ponies on Vasco Rd. Christmas night. Owner identify. 443-3237.

LOST: Poodle, silver, fem., miniature, vic. Stoneridge area. Reward. 462-1177.

LOST: Sm. Black dog, ½ Poodle, part Sheltie, red collar, lic., vic. Fairlands Dr., Pleas., reward. 846-6562.

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9. Services Offered

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27. Nursery Schools

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32. Help Wanted

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35. Work Wanted

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LIVESTOCK, PETS

38. Pets & Services

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FREE: Black & white, 8 wks. old puppies, fem., mixed breed, med. size. 829-1986.

FREE: Male cat, all white, box trained, 10 mo. old, named Ben. 455-1864.

FREE: Sheltie-Cocker mix, 8 wks. old, male. 447-0507.

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39. Livestock

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47. Home Furnishings

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73. Rooms for Rent

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77. Share Rentals

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78. Duplexes for Rent

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80. Homes for Rent

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CUL-DE-SAC COMFORT
and a lovely Hillview home with 4 bdrm., 2½ bath, fireplace, formal dining, 1900 sq. ft. PLUS a 19x40 pool with cool decking. Anxious sellers. $59,950.

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DEL PRADO THREE
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PLEASANTON

EASTERN CHARM. Cape Cod in California? Not only true, but brand new house that qualifies for 5% tax credit too. Fast occupancy. $75,500.
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MORRISON BUILT. 4 bdrm., 2 bath, fireplace with gas log, customized upstairs, fish pond. Sharpen up and save dollars. $47,950.
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268 Main St., Pleasanton

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beautiful 3 bdrm., 2½ bath Del Prado Colonial home. Customized, brickplate entry & patio. Model home condition. Custom drapes & carpets, central air, sprinklers, $73,500.

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5 bdrms., 3 baths, heated pool, formal dining, custom brick BBQ & retaining walls. New listing across the street from Kottinger Park. $75,500.

HOLIDAY MODEL
with heated pool. Luxury is yours in this Morrison beauty. Decorated to your delight. 4 bdrm., 2 bath. $74,950.

Century 21

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SHOW STOPPER!
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TOWNHOUSE DELUXE!
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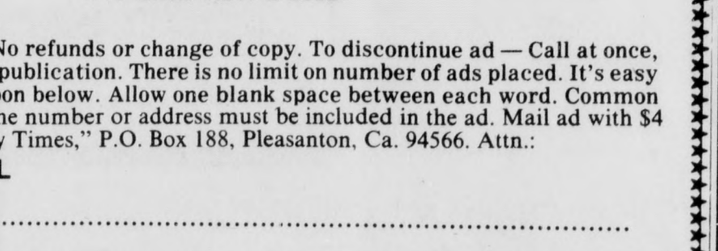

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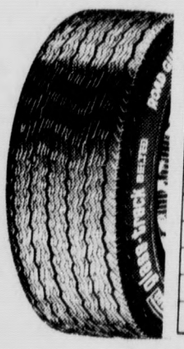

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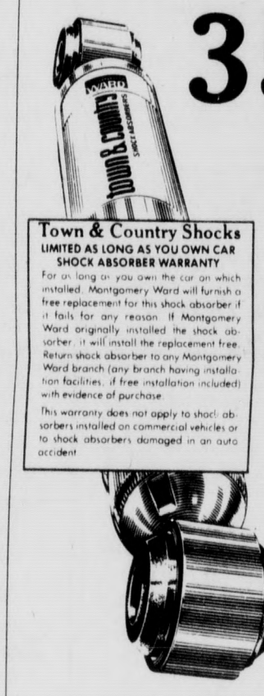

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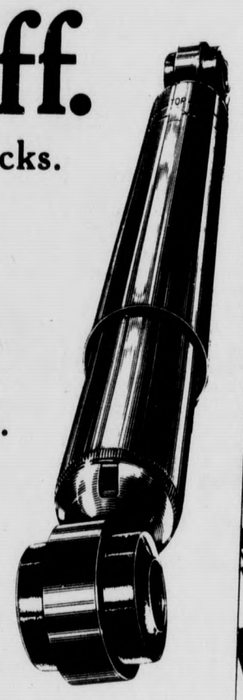

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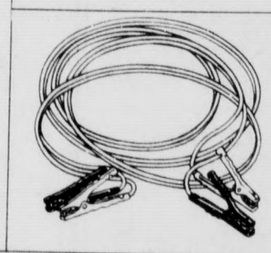

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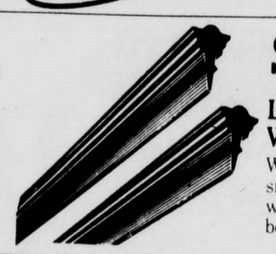

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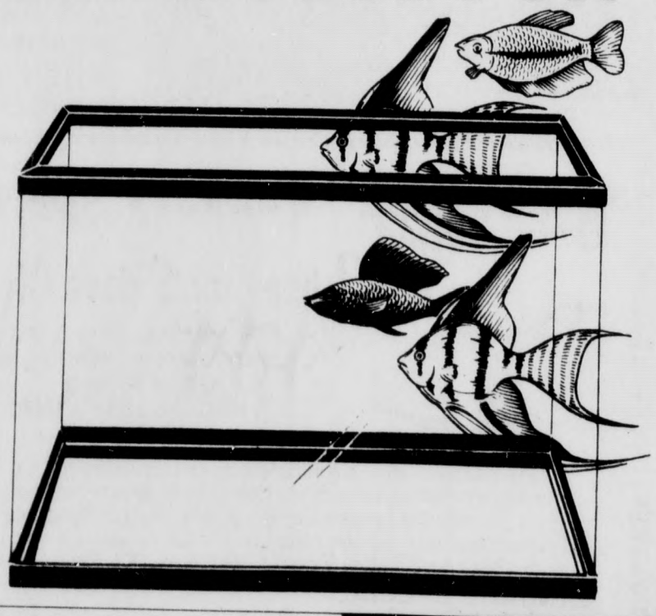

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